

Please change "Patent Claims" to --WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:--.

Claim 1

Line 4, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 2

Line 1, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 3

Line 1, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 4

Line 1, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 5

Line 1, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 6

Line 1, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 7

Line 1, delete "or 6" and change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 8

Line 1, change "at least one of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--;

Line 2, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--;

Line 3, change "(3,3.1)" to --(4, 4.1)--.

Claim 9

Line 1, change "characterized in that this" to --wherein the read--.

Claim 10

Line 1, change "at least one of claims 1 through 9" to --claim 1--;

Line 2, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 11

Lines 1 - 2, change "one or more of the preceding claims, characterized in that" to --claim 1, wherein--.

Claim 12

Line 1, change "one or more of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--;

Line 2, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.

Claim 13

Line 1, change "one or more of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--;

Line 2, change "characterized in that" to --wherein--.